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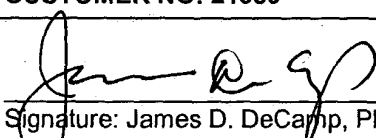
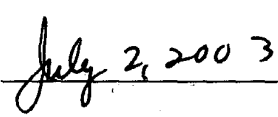
UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

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Applicant	Frederick M. Ausubel and Fumiaki Katagiri
Title	RPS GENE FAMILY, PRIMERS, PROBES, AND DETECTION METHOD
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	
This application is a continuation of, and claims priority from, United States patent application 09/867,852 filed May 29, 2001 which is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 09/301,085, filed on April 28, 1999, which is a divisional of U.S. Serial No. 08/310,912, filed September 22, 1994, which, in turn, is a continuation-in- part of U.S. patent application 08/227,360, filed April 13, 1994.	
SMALL ENTITY STATUS:	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.	
APPLICATION ELEMENTS:	
Cover sheet	1 page
Specification	66 pages
Claims	1 page
Abstract	1 page
Drawings	30 sheets
Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, which is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy from prior application 09/301,085 and the entire disclosure of the prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of this new application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.	13 pages
Sequence Statement	2 pages
Sequence Listing on Paper	56 pages
Sequence Listing on Diskette	1 disk
Preliminary Amendment	15 pages
Information Disclosure Statement	7 pages
Form PTO 1449	5 pages
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